

Senate Resolution 717

By: Senator Goggans of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

1 Expressing regret at the passing of Sergeant Gene L. Lamie; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia has lost one of its finest and most distinguished young
3 individuals with the untimely passing of Sergeant Gene L. Lamie; and

4 WHEREAS, Gene L. Lamie was born on June 3, 1982; and

5 WHEREAS, he was a beloved son, a loving husband and father, an affectionate big brother,
6 and a loyal friend; and

7 WHEREAS, he was assigned to the 3rd Battalion, 7th Cavalry Regiment, 2nd Brigade
8 Combat Team, 3rd Infantry Division, Fort Stewart, Georgia; and

9 WHEREAS, his brother, John Lamie, who also served in Iraq, remembers his brother as one
10 who "believed in everything he did [and] grew up with a soldier's heart;" and although some
11 people are born to be carpenters, lawyers, or preachers, John said that his brother was born
12 to be a soldier.

13 WHEREAS, he received full military honors at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington,
14 Virginia; and

15 WHEREAS, his unfortunate departure has left scars upon the hearts of grieving friends,
16 family, and fellow soldiers in Georgia and throughout the world.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 join together in honoring the memory of Sergeant Gene L. Lamie and extending the deepest
19 and most sincere condolences to his family and friends.

- 1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to
- 2 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the family of Sergeant Gene L. Lamie.